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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action of November 4, 2004, it is respectfully requested that this Amendment be entered in the above-referenced application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith are: Transmittal (1 page); Combined Amendment & Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity) (2 pages); Check in the amount of \$1,020.00; Amendment (15 pages); and return postcard.

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